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19 April 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Special Security Division

25X1 SUBJECT: [redacted] Indebtedness to CIA

1. In accordance with our conversation of last week, I am 25X1
25X1 attaching hereto a letter to [redacted] signed by the Chief, Finance Division, which describes in detail the nature of Mr. [redacted] to the Agency and the terms upon which the Agency 25X1 [redacted] be paid. As you will note from the first paragraph of the letter, considerable delay has been experienced in contacting [redacted] because his current address has become only recently available.

2. As I explained to you, it is more than likely that [redacted] 25X1
25X1 [redacted] will be able to pay at most only a portion of his total indebtedness at this time. It is felt, however, that a strong effort should be made to impress upon him that the Agency means business in attempting to collect this debt and that other means than ineffectual correspondence will be utilized in the event that he does not see fit to make diligent effort to repay. For this reason, we are requesting that one of your representatives deliver the letter to [redacted] 25X1
with the introductory comment that the Agency will use every means at its disposal to effect collection. 25X1

3. As stated above, it is doubtful that [redacted] will be in a position to pay the total or, perhaps, even a partial amount of the indebtedness immediately. Obviously, the Agency in the face of this situation would not turn down an offer to tender payments over a 25X1 [redacted] d of time provided that the amount of time and the amount of individual payments are reasonable. If, after reading the letter, [redacted] protests to your representative that he cannot possibly pay the full amount at once, your representative should question him 25X1 [redacted] er intensively about his current financial situation and what arrangements he can make to pay the indebtedness on time. Any amount that [redacted] s willing to pay immediately should be collected and a written statement obtained as to his intentions with respect to the balance of the sum due. Your representative should state that he is not in a position to say whether the proffered terms will be acceptable to the Agency but only that he will pass them along to 25X1
those authorized to consider the proposal. He should indicate to [redacted] that he can expect to hear

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very soon whether the suggested means of liquidating the indebtedness will be satisfactory. If your representative will require further instructions than the foregoing, will you kindly contact me on extension 3636.

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[redacted]
Office of General Counsel

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